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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER		Docket No.: ABB10010P00630US
Serial No.:	10/009,571	Filing Date: 03/03/2004
Group Art Unit:	1656	Examiner: Sheridan Swope
Applicant(s):	Neil T. Dear et al.	
Invention:	Calpains and The Use Thereof	

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450



Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified application.

- A Petition for a _____ - month extension of time and the separate fee therefor is enclosed.
 No additional claim filing fee is required.

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			RATE	ADDIT.FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL 6	MINUS - 6	= 0	x \$ 25.00 =	\$	x \$ 50.00 =	\$
INDEPENDENT	MINUS -	=	x \$100.00 =	\$	x \$ 200.00 =	\$
MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM	Minus -	=	+ \$180.00 =	\$	+ \$360.00 =	\$
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (PER 50 SHEETS OVER 100)			+ \$125.00 =	\$	+ \$250.00 =	\$
			Total Fee	\$		\$

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Date: November 8, 2006

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks being on page 4 of this paper.